



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of Tunney et al.

Appln. No. 09/901,250

Filed: July 9, 2001

For: **A METHOD FOR CLEANING
PRESSURIZED CONTAINERS
CONTAINING CHLORINE GAS
OR SULFUR DIOXIDE GAS**

Examiner: unassigned

Group Art Unit: unassigned

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

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Signature

Date of Signature

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION**

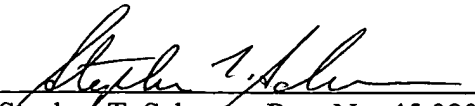
Applicant hereby responds to the Notice To File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated August 8, 2001, (copy enclosed) and provides the missing Combined Declaration and Powers of Attorney herewith. This application is on behalf of other than a small entity Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e), the surcharge for filing this Response is for other than a small entity in the amount of \$130.00, charge Account No. 13-0206 the sum of \$130.00. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

If any additional fee is required in connection with this communication, charge Account No. 13-0206. A duplicate of this transmittal is attached.

Date: October 15, 2001

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Respectfully submitted,


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09/901,250	07/09/2001	Joseph P. Tunney	47440-042000

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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

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Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
A properly signed oath or declaration in compliance with 37 CFR 1.63, identifying the application by the above Application Number and Filing Date, is required.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- **The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.**

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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PART 2 - COPY TO BE RETURNED WITH RESPONSE

OIP E FEE TRANSMITTAL

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Note: Effective November 10, 1998

Patent fees are subject to annual revision

Complete if Known

Appln. Number 09/901,250
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 First Named Inventor Tuñney et al.
 Title A Method for Cleaning Pressurized Containers...
 Group Art Unit unassigned
 Examiner Name unassigned
 Attorney Docket No. 47440-042000

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT \$240.00

METHOD OF PAYMENT (check one)

1. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge indicated fees and credit any overpayments to:

Deposit Account 13-0206

Deposit Account Name McDermott, Will & Emery

- ☒ Charge Any Additional Fee Required Under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 ☐ Charge the Issue Fee Set in 37 CFR 1.18 at the Mailing of the Notice of Allowance

2. ☐ Payment Enclosed:

☐ Check ☐ Money ☐ Other Order

FEE CALCULATION

1. FILING FEE

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee Paid
101	740	201	370	Utility filing fee	
106	330	206	165	Design filing fee	
107	510	207	255	Plant filing fee	
108	740	208	370	Reissue filing fee	
114	160	214	80	Provisional filing fee	

SUBTOTAL

2. CLAIMS

	Highest No. Paid For	Extra	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Total Claims	-20 =		18	
Independent Claims	-3 =		84	
Multiple Dependent Claims				

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description
103	18	203	9	Claims in excess of 20
102	84	202	42	Independent claims in excess of 3
104	280	204	140	Multiple dependent claims
109	84	209	42	Reissue independent claims over original patent
110	18	210	9	Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

SUBTOTAL

FEE CALCULATION (continued)

3. ADDITIONAL FEES

Large Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Small Fee Code	Entity Fee (\$)	Fee Description	Fee paid
105	130	205	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	\$130.00
127	50	227	25	Surcharge - late provisional filing fee or cover sheet	
139	130	139	130	Non-English specification	
147	2,520	147	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
112	920*	112	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
113	1,840*	113	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
115	110	215	55	Extension for reply within first month	\$110.00
116	400	216	200	Extension for reply within second month	
117	920	217	460	Extension for reply within third month	
118	1,440	218	720	Extension for reply within fourth month	
128	1,960	228	980	Extension for reply within fifth month	
119	310	219	155	Notice of Appeal	
120	310	220	155	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
121	270	221	135	Request for oral hearing	
138	1,510	138	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
140	110	240	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
141	1,240	241	620	Petition to revive - unintentional	
142	1,240	242	620	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
143	440	243	220	Design Issue fee	
144	600	244	300	Plant Issue fee	
122	130	122	130	Petitions to the Commissioner	
123	50	123	50	Petitions related to provisional applications	
126	180	126	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
581	40	581	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
146	710	246	355	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR 1.129(a))	
149	710	249	355	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR 1.129(b))	

Other fee (specify)

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Reduced by Basic Filing Fee Paid

SUBTOTAL (3)

\$240.00

SUBMITTED BY

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Compleat (if applicable)

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